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PATENT
Docket No. GC396-2

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application:)
Miller et al.) Group Art Unit: 1652
Serial No.: 09/262,126) Examiner: M. Rao
Filed: March 3, 1999)
For: Modified Forms of Pullulanase)

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir,

The following extension of time is requested to respond to the Office Action
dated June 6, 2001:

two months to _____; the extension fee is \$400.00.

three months to December 6, 2001; the extension fee is \$920.00.

four months to _____; the extension fee is \$1,440.00.

five months to : the extension fee is \$1,960.00.

The extended time for response does not exceed the statutory period.

The statutory period has been reset by an Advisory Action.

The shortened statutory period has been fixed by an order of the Court
dated _____.

Charge \$920.00 to Deposit Account No. 07-1848.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-1048 (Docket No. GC396). A duplicate of this paper is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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